

TO STOCKMEN

Remember we are agents for the Home Dressed Meat Co., Calgary, and will pay the highest prices for cattle here. J. W. Wilson, our expert, is doing the buying. See him or call at the store.

The Best

ON THE SIDE

E. Congdon, employed in our Bassano shop, is the best butcher in the district—next to Dutch George. If any butcher thinks he can do better or faster work let him come along. We're ready, any time.

BUTCHERS in the Country

WILSON & GEBERT

Bassano Meat Market

TO THE PUBLIC---Anything and everything in the line of High Class Meats can be secured at REASONABLE Prices. Remember we keep everything the best metropolitan butcher shop carry.

THE SECRET OF SUCCESS

Success has many secrets, but our success is due to square dealing and the furnishing our customers with choice meat. We have set a high standard and we can maintain it.

NEW SLAUGHTER HOUSE

A modern slaughter house is being built 2 1/2 miles north of here Mr. Finley is sinking wells there now. We have always taken particular pains to keep our slaughter house clean. Inspection is always welcomed. Clean meat, good health.

DO WE DESERVE PATRONAGE?

We employ the best help obtainable. Our butchers are paid the best wages. We are oldtimers here, have stayed with Bassano through thick and thin, through poor crops and good ones. We are here to stay. If we can't give you good meat, we won't sell any But our meat is the very best. We see to that.

In a few short weeks our Brooks butcher shop has progressed so that now five cattle a week are required, instead of two or three as at the start. Manager Pierce and Butcher Dawson are courteous and competent.

WILSON & GEBERT

BASSANO

FAT QUICK LUNCH

EVERYTHING STUFFY AND UP-TO-DATE
SERVICE UNRUPPARED MEALS AND UP
ROAST TURKEY AT ALL HOURS
RETAILERS IN ALL KINDS FINE CHEESE & PRODUCE
FRUITS, CANDY AND ICE CREAM
TRY OUR BUM COFFEE, 45c PER POUND

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We carry a full line of Tobaccos, Cigarettes. Have also added another barber
to our staff.

Barber Shop Hot and Cold Baths
Jos. King Prop

A GOLD MINE

Professor Shaw, the greatest agricultural economist the world ever saw, who visited the Bow Valley lands said: "There is greater wealth in the upper 12 inches of soil in Alberta than in all the gold mines in America."

THE PROFESSOR WAS RIGHT
The soil of Alberta is amongst the richest in America, containing all the valuable constituents that nature has stored up during past centuries. And it only awaits the turn of the plow to yield up its treasures.

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BASSANO BRANCH H. C. STRANGE, Mgr

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Spend the Balance
Don't spend all you like and save the balance if there is any.

Save what you know you should—then spend the rest. The difference, in a few years, will be the difference between poverty and independence.

Open a Savings Account now in this Bank. It will make the saving easier.

BASSANO BRANCH

G. W. BOYD Manager

BERRY CREEK

Berry Creek, Aug. 14.—No. 111, was not broken up over the 200 pretty question, the angle that you heard just now, singing clear and loud on his stick, waving his arms. Dave Dalton's moved way of calling the boys, induces him to answer.

Mr. Harrison has returned to Ontario after spending several months in his land here during winter. He has been constantly telling us how many different ways Ontario beats this province, with our knowledge of human nature we know that he is now telling the eastern folk stunner stories about Sunny Alberta. By the way we should say tales indeed of stories to cause you misunderstand.

Any young man about to get married can very easily discover what kind of a temper his fiancée will have. He has to take her through all the trials and tribulations of a long walk across the prairie in her best dress with the fringe all on. If after she has stopped to pick the flower petals, she has her shoes and so forth for the tenth time in ten seconds she still is in a worst and angelic as ever, then get wed as soon as possible, for you sure have a dandy.

People in the habit of using a considerable quantity of curs words in their conversation hardly know what words they are using. They are the most common of all words.

We hear a number talking of sending away for their fall goods already. When you have made out your order, why not show it to the local storekeeper and let him give you a figure on it. It is only fair.

Oh! yes, and we almost forgot crops are looking fine, thank you.

Everybody however is not so jubilant over their grain as the farmers in the immediate district. On Sunday evening Aug. 13 we had a rather severe windstorm with a little hail. It appears that we only got the tail end of the harvest reports from neighboring towns. It was all of many damaged crops. The hail was about 1/4 inch in diameter, and the hailstorm in the T. B. B. 15, 14, clear out of a district (including a 160 acre field) have even breaking down the grass yet in the middle of the damage the man's field was untouched. Early reports are almost always exaggerated but at present it looks as if 25 per cent of the crop here is gone.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Take notice that the firm of Lalonde & Neumeyer, proprietors of the Eureka theatre, has been dissolved. F. J. Mallory has taken over the interests of E. Lalonde in the business, which hereafter will be conducted by A. Neumeyer and F. J. Mallory. All accounts due or payable by the firm of Lalonde & Neumeyer should be presented to Neumeyer & Mallory.

E. Lalonde
A. Neumeyer

TEXAS AFTER CANADIAN WHEAT

Plans for the purchase of 4,000,000 bushels of Canadian No. 1 hard wheat annually from Alberta are now being made by the United States and Canadian Governments, owing five million in California and one in El Paso, Texas. It is planned to ship the Canadian wheat from Vancouver to San Francisco and San Pedro, whence it will be distributed to the company's mills for grinding. A portion of the grain will be blended with soft American grain for low grade flour.

CROWFOOT NEWS

Being in Neighbouring Village—Personalities of Interest

Mr. and Mrs. F. Robinson were in town on their return trip from Calgary where they had been visiting Mr. Minch, who is at the Holy Cross Hospital suffering from blood poisoning, but we are glad to learn he is progressing favorably.

The Crowfoot Farming Co. considered their plans and returned to Bassano to reap the harvest.

Mr. W. Batters of the Crowfoot House is very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Duncan Clark and family were the guests of Mrs. G. Robinson on Sunday.

Miss Jacobs of Calgary was the guest of Mrs. V. Warner for the week end.

Mr. Roberts, of Rogers & Armstrong left on Wednesday for his trip north.

Hutton News

Hutton, Aug. 23.—Things are looking pretty good just now.

Some of the finest music has been heard here this last few days. Mrs. Dr. Hutton was here and so she is a graduate who certainly made Jones new piano go home. Mrs. Gatching of Calgary is also here having come to stay with her husband and she is also a good player. She once and a while A. Hedman comes in with his violin.

Last Sunday Mr. Wood of Berry Creek passed through with a yoke of oxen in company with two more oxen teams and horse teams. His auto is out of commission. Some change in riding.

Hutton brothers are back here with their father.

Two good business men stayed for a few days and found the key for opportunity here. They will build a general store and will also sell harvesting machinery. We are growing so don't laugh at our efforts. Mr. Reader:

We have good land out here and good feed and will not need to buy so much.

John Alexander has the agency for McCormick machinery. We have three now Deering, McCormick and John Deere.

Mr. Job from Lethbridge came here on his way to meet his sister at Bassano and while feeding his team was kicked so that he couldn't go the next day but he is better now having got good care. His brother went in for a sister.

Binders and new ones are come right these days so that the tremendous harvest can be brought in.

Carl Berg and G. Hestington have gone up the Red Deer for new lumber. It is reported they are bringing down 200,000 feet.

Mrs. Geo. Kerrington and child are back.

TO ADOPT OUR FARMING METHODS

Calgary will be visited this month by S. V. Adams, Katormer, special envoy of the Maharajah of Gwalior, British India, who has received instructions to study the system of farming in Western Canada, with the object of applying it in the cultivation of the millions of acres of rich land in the province of Gwalior. Immigration Commissioner Walker has directed the visitor what steps he should take in his quest and has armed him with necessary letters to place him in touch with right people. He will go to Calgary first, then to Calgary, where he will have an opportunity of seeing all kinds of machinery in operation.

THE DUCKS WILL TUMBLE

If you use ROBINSON'S Shell and Shotguns. Thousands of Dominion shells (Regal, Imperial, Sovereign) and Winchester shells in stock.

Our Shotguns are Sure

Just take a look over our rifles and shotguns before making your choice.

MIND YOU

The season opens Aug. 23rd, and now is the appointed time to get your AMMUNITION.

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BASSANO

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The Leading Real Estate Firm

A first class section of land adjoining a townsite at \$48 an acre. Easy terms.

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FRANK D. MURCHISON - W. A. W. HAMES, Notary, Public

A PLEASANT PLACE

To while away an hour. Bowling alleys, billiard and pool rooms, soft drinks

Everybody Welcome - Walter Turner, Prop.

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MILLWORK, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS

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ESTIMATES PROMPTLY FURNISHED

We Lead in Quality and Price. Others Follow

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Are you going to Sow any
Fall Wheat
this year, if you are we have the
Seed.

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Duck Season Open Aug. 23

Our Stock of Ammunition
Has Just Arrived - - -

Shot Shells in 10, 12 and 16 gauge smokeless at 85c. a box.

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EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

LUMBER

We have built up our business, the largest in Western Canada, through square dealing—
The best lumber at prices no higher than those asked for inferior kinds.

WE MAINTAIN YARDS
Throughout the Irrigation District

Bassano, Brooks, Tilley,
Crowfoot, Cluny, Gleichen,
Cheadle, Strathmore, Langdon
And at Forty-Three Other Points

CROWN LUMBER CO. LIMITED
Jos. Wright Manager Bassano Yard

AROUND TOWN

J. Trotman was in the Hat on Sunday.

Ed Dawson was in town from Brooks over Sunday.

R. C. Pegler and R. Darby were in Banff over the week end.

Frank Merriam was in Calgary last Saturday.

O. C. Williams writes from Stoppington. Our wheat crop is just wonderful. A. A. McFegor and son Donald, went to Calgary for a few days last week.

The Crown Lumber Co. is building a new lumber and storing shed in their yard.

Bert Bass went to Medicine Hat to spend a few holidays before returning to Calgary.

Jack Booth is back at work at the dam after spending some time at the Dominion Fair in Regina.

John Wesley Scott, of Gallagher Bros., was in Calgary and Langdon on business for the first last week.

Miss Albertine Palmer left on Wednesday for Spokane, Wash., where she will attend college.

J. Jamieson, C. P. E. engineer, at Medicine Hat, was in town. For a few days in the interest of C. A. Magrath.

Mrs. McKinney is spending some time in Banff recuperating from an attack of illness.

Bassano district gained the distinction of being the first in which wheat was cut this year. The C. P. E. C. publication says last week:

Granville Lewis spent three days in Swift Current. He is back again and is playing the piano, as usual, at the Europa theatre.

Dr. Hager has moved his office from above the Bassano Trading Co's store to apartments in the building opposite A. A. McFegor's.

McKintosh Bros. commenced cutting their grain on Monday, starting with oats. They have a splendid crop. Spring wheat is fine and will be ready for cutting soon.

The grain cutting season opened today for the province with the cutting of crops of winter wheat; till the Bassano district on the farus of the Canadian Development and the Patten Company and will be followed by spring wheat and oats within ten days. In southern Alberta barley has been in the process of cutting for the past week.

Frank W. Moore, of Calgary, who is interested in property around the town, was in Bassano last week.

Mr. Madford, of McLeod, is to build a fine new house on Second Avenue in the east end. He will make his home here, his new house being under construction in the north country.

G. W. Green, one of the boys who dabbled the gas well here, is coming back to assist in cleaning the well out. Frank Lawler and Ralph Quinn will also be back.

Mrs. J. Konekman, of Winnipeg, went to Calgary last week to consult a specialist regarding her illness. She returned home and her friends will be pleased to hear she is improved in health considerably.

The Brooks Banner announces a commercial traveller who visited that town declared he saw a blue print of the C. P. E. cars and they were located at Brooks. Probably that commercial traveller sleeps on his back.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Wright and Alfred Davis, visited out to the Red Deer on Sunday last. The trip was a pleasant one going out, but the windstorm coming home was extremely unpleasant.

Five beets grown on Patten farm and sent to the public gardens in Bassano, exposed to public criticism in E. F. Purcell's window. The general opinion was that these vegetables of home growth were as fine as could be secured anywhere.

Moving pictures of Bassano were of the C. P. E. photographic car last week while it passed through Bassano. Mr. Casswell, of the C. P. E. C. in Calgary was along with the party. These pictures will be shown all over the world.

A dispatch from Edmonton says that a fur catch just brought down from the North by Collis Fraser and Ben Hurrell, veterans independent fur traders, there are no less than 2,000 skins, with a total valuation of about \$50,000.

Duck shooting commences Aug. 23, according to a copy of the game regulations received from Benj. Lawton, chief game warden. The open season last until the end of December. Cranes, rails, coots, snipe and plover may be shot during September, October, November and December, and prairie chicken and partridge during October. The number each man may secure being limited to two. Sunday shooting is prohibited and no person shall hunt an hour after sundown or an hour before sunrise. No person shall hunt without a license. A bird game license cost \$1.25.

SOME GOOD READING

Boys' Trousers

Shoel opens in a week or two and that boy of yours may need a new pair of trousers. We have just the right thing for him.

Men's Working Shoes

All sizes and prices. We have the low cut and the high cut. They are selling for from \$2.50 to \$7, and they'll wear well and please you.

Glassware and Crockery

A short time ago we decided to increase our stock in these lines and our customers will now have an opportunity to benefit. Come early and get first choice from the big shipment which has just come in. Glassware, Crockery, Lamps, Table Sets, Whiteware and lots more to interest you.

And REMEMBER—Fresh Fruits and Vegetables ARE OUR SPECIALTY

Our Grocery Stock is always complete.

E. PURCELL

STETSON HATS



Soft felts will be more popular than ever this Fall. Of course, you want the right shape and shade—then buy a Stetson!

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MEN'S OUTFITTER
Bassano

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Wilson and Gebert, Props.

Fresh and Cured Meat
Always on hand.

Butter and Eggs, Fish
And Game in Season.

Highest Market Prices paid for your Hides, Pigs and Tallow. Bring them in.

SECOND AVE.

BASSANO

THERE ARE STILL A FEW

Residential Lots for Sale

At Prices
Ranging from **\$50 to \$150 each**

This Announcement Appears for the Last Time

The following extract from the speech of Mr. J. S. Dennis at the luncheon to the Irrigation Convention Delegates when here speaks for itself:

"That he could say that he confidently expected that the bright hopes for the future of the town entertained by the citizens would be realized."

PEGLER & DARBY
THE PIONEER LAND MEN